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IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 27th June 1959

SUBJECT:—*Licensing of Art Silk Yarn etc. under the Export Promotion Scheme—April—September 1959 licensing period.*

No. 64-I.T.C.(P.N.)/59.—Attention is invited to Appendix XLII of the Import Trade Control Policy Book for the April—September 1959 licensing period in which it was declared that the policy for the licensing of Art Silk Yarn, etc. under the Export Promotion Scheme would be announced separately.

2. With a view to stimulate the exports of Art Silk Fabrics, it has been decided to grant to the actual manufacturers of Art Silk Fabrics including Sarees as well as manufacturers of Handloom Art Silk fabrics and sarees import licences at the Ports of Bombay, Madras and Calcutta under the Export Promotion Scheme for the import of permissible varieties of Art Silk Yarn up to 100 per cent of the value of art silk fabrics and sarees exported, as assessed by the Office of the Textile Commissioner against scheduled items.

3. The licences will be subject to the following conditions:—

- (a) 10 per cent. of the face value of these licences may be utilised for the import of permissible types of spare parts of machinery required for the manufacture of art silk cloth.
- (b) The Art silk fabrics and sarees exported should conform to the minimum standard specifications as laid down by the Office of the Textile Commissioner, Bombay.
- (c) The Art silk fabrics and sarees exported would have to be inspected prior to shipment by the Office of the Textile Commissioner, Bombay and its Regional Offices at Calcutta and Madras.
- (d) The licence holders should utilise the Art silk yarn imported against the import licences thus issued for their own consumption and in no case they should sell the same.

4. The licences issued for the import of Art Silk Yarn under the above provisions may be utilised for the import of synthetic yarn.

5. The licences for the import of Art Silk Yarn may also be issued against the export of staple fibre fabrics and sarees as well as art silk and staple fibre mixed fabrics and sarees on the above basis.

6. It has also been decided to grant import licences at Ports under the Export Promotion Scheme for the import of such coaltar dyes and textile chemicals as may be notified by the Textile Commissioner in accordance with the following:—

(i) Exporters including manufacturer-exporters:—

2 per cent. of the face value (as determined *vide* Para 2) of the licences issued for the import of Art Silk Yarn.

(ii) Processors:—

2 per cent. of the face value (as determined *vide* Para 2) of the licences issued for the import of Art Silk Yarn.

N.B.—(a) All such manufacturers, exporters or processors intending to claim import licences for coaltar dyes and chemicals should get themselves registered with the office of the Textile Commissioner.

(b) If any party performs more than one of the above functions of manufacturer, processor and exporter, he shall be entitled to claim licences equal to those admissible under the respective category whether manufacturer, processor or exporter.

7. This policy shall come into force in respect of exports effected on and after 1st July, 1959. Licences will be granted only once in a quarter on the basis of the exports effected in the preceding quarter.

SUBJECT:—*Import Policy for Watches and parts thereof* [Sr. No. 308(d)/IV] during April—September, 1959.

No. 65-ITC(PN)/59.—Attention of the importers is invited to remark (i) against Sr. No. 308(d)/IV in Section II of the Red Book for April—September, 1959 period, according to which applications from Established Importers for import of 'parts of watches' are to be licensed on an *ad hoc* basis.

2. The position has been reviewed and it has been decided that licences will be granted to Established Importers of 'watches and parts thereof' [Sr. No. 308(d)/IV], on the basis of a quota of 7½ per cent. Gen. and 7½ per cent. Soft during the current half year. These licences will be valid for import of parts of watches or complete watch movements only.

3. Applications which have not yet been licensed will now be considered on this basis. Established Importers are, however, requested to send further Treasury Challans, wherever necessary, in continuation of their applications still pending with the licensing authorities. Where, however, licences have already been granted by the licensing authorities, the Established Importers should return those licences to the licensing authorities for a suitable enhancement in their face value together with suitable treasury challan.

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ERRATUM

In Ministry of Commerce and Industry Public Notice No. 63-ITC(P.N.)/59, dated 25th June, 1959, appearing in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I—Section I, dated 25th June, 1959 (Issue No. 72) the following correction is to be made:—

Ninth line of the Notice (from top)—

for 'demand to have 75%'. '

read 'decmed to have 75%'. '